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FOOT BALL.

The powerful Baltimore Medical college football team will play Bucknell at Lewisburg, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 22. This game will draw a big crowd, and will prove to be an interesting event.

The medical men have Cure, late of State; Jennings, late of Bucknell; Braz, late of Lafayette, on their team.

Connie Mack's famous Philadelphia Athletic foot ball team plays at Athens, Pa., on Saturday, Nov. 22.

At Athletic park this afternoon there will be a game of foot ball between the school of the Lackawanna and the Scranton High school. The game will be held at 2 p. m.

STORY WAS NOT CORRECT

PRESENT STATUS OF THE Y. W. C. A. PROJECT.

Report That Building Is to Be Erected Through the Benevolence of a Public-Spirited Citizen Is Not the Fact—Campaign That Has Been Planned by the Managers with a View to Raising the Necessary Funds—Kind of Buildings That Are in Mind.

An evening paper last night stated that the Young Women's Christian association is about to have a new building erected through the benevolence of a public-spirited citizen, as a memorial. The article in question was incorrect and its appearance has caused the management much annoyance.

As was announced in The Tribune last week, the Young Women's Christian association has set its motion plans to secure funds for new quarters. Unfortunately no large gift has as yet been received nor have any of the city's prominent citizens been recently approached on the subject.

The plans include a campaign of hard work by the young women themselves. A regiment numbering one hundred has been formed into companies of two each, with a captain, the purpose being to sell shares in the new building at twenty-five cents each to scarified women of the city. This campaign will last until May, at which time the company obtaining the largest number of shares will be entertained in a special way by the management.

During this time the committee on Ways and Means, whose personnel is not yet announced, will prepare lists of women having their own income, who will be called upon until the following October. After that the matter will be placed in the hands of a board of trustees, who will solicit subscriptions from business men.

An option has been secured on the Broadbent lots at Washington avenue and Mulberry street, where a building will be erected for class work, lunch-rooms, etc., the rents of which will bring some income. At the same time it is intended to build a boarding home further up town in the residence district, where property is cheaper, which will contain at first fifty rooms and will be made as attractive as possible for the young women who have no homes in the city.

Commissioner Carroll D. Wright's latest report says that there are over 35,000 women in Scranton, of which number 8,752 are self supporting. Only about 1,000 of these are as yet reached by the Young Women's Christian association, and its branches. Lack of facilities and room is largely responsible. With the new building for regular work and a boarding home where the young women could be safe and comfortable and happy, a far greater number could be brought within the kindly influence of this good institution. There will be a determined effort to have such accommodations.

The "captains" of the companies will be entertained at the Young Women's Christian association on Monday night when more active efforts will be organized.

CURIOUS HALLUCINATION.

Insane Man Tells How He Whipped Tom Sayers.

An aged man from Spring Brook, who said his name was General Edward Edwards and who proved to be harmless insane, wandered into police headquarters yesterday afternoon and rather startled the officer in charge at first by launching into an extended description of a prize fight in which he whipped Tom Sayers, the great English pugilist.

The old gentleman then told of another fight he had with an Irishman in the South Africa in 1851, and described in a graphic manner how he was defeated after twenty-four hard-fought rounds. He wore a big green scarf about his neck, out of honor to the Irishman who knocked him.

Some more of the peculiar hallucinations to which he gave voice were an account of the reception of General Robert Lee and himself by President Cleveland, and a description of General Lee's remarkable ability as a headman. The old man was finally led out and started on his way home.

WON'T PAY ASSESSMENT.

Meridian Street Property Owners Serve Notice on City.

Attorneys Ira H. Burns and Charles Oliver, representing Mrs. Mary C. Ansley and Washburn, Williams, and company, yesterday formally notified City Solicitor Watson that any attempt on the part of the city to collect any assessment from these two property owners for the Meridian street sewer would be contested because the said assessments are illegal and void.

It is pointed out that the properties of these two parties are at present adequately served and that the proposed sewer is therefore unnecessary. It is further pointed out that the assessments were made according to the foot front rule, but act authorizing, which was nullified by an act passed by the last legislature.

FIRE CAPTAIN SUSPENDED.

Chief Ferber Says George E. Bailey Was Intoxicated.

Captain George E. Bailey, of Engine company No. 5, has been suspended from duty by Superintendent H. F. Ferber, for returning from the big fire at Olyphant in an intoxicated condition. This suspension has been approved by Director of Public Safety P. L. Wormser, who has directed Superintendent Ferber to prefer charges against Bailey. These charges will be heard by the court of inquiry, which heard the evidence in the case against Captain Kneller, of Home company No. 8, as soon as a decision in this last named case is reached.

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LOCATION OF ALMSHOUSE

Poor Director Thomas Shotton Objects to Site Chosen by Home Committee at the Farm.

At yesterday's meeting of the poor board the report of the home committee anent the selection of a location for the almshouse, which it is proposed to build at the Hillside home, provoked much opposition from Mr. Shotton.

The committee met at the home on November 11 and after going carefully over the ground decided to locate the new almshouse on a knoll about 1,000 feet to the south of the present building. Mr. Shotton objected to this site and said that the building for economic reasons and for general appearances should be erected to the north of the present buildings.

Dr. Falne, for the committee, said that the site selected is the finest in the county, and that the view afforded in all directions is magnificent. Experience has proven, he said, that insane patients improve better when kept separate and apart from paupers. Inasmuch as the new building will probably in time be used as an insane asylum, an additional reason for its location on the site selected is thus afforded.

The revised plans and specifications for the new building are now being prepared by Architect Davis and bids are to be advertised for shortly.

Mrs. Amy Lisk applied for a continuance of the assistance which has been extended to her for the past three months. Her husband is blind, but she has two sons old enough to work and the board decided to dismiss her application.

Mrs. Mary Hirsch, of 113 Hickory street, a widow, was given call for the winter, the same to be supplied at the discretion of Director Decker.

MERIDIAN STREET SEWER.

Director Roche Explains Why Contract Was Signed.

Director of Public Works John E. Roche said yesterday in explanation of the signing of the contract for the Meridian street sewer that the objection to its construction by certain property owners along the street was not raised until after the regular work of the contractors, had affixed their signatures to the contract and had furnished the requisite bond.

The matter was referred to the consideration of City Solicitor Watson, who decided that the best thing for the city to do would be to sign the contract. If it were not signed by the proper city officials, he said, Donahue & O'Boyle would have a legal claim for damages.

"The advice of the city solicitor was taken," said Director Roche, "and the contract was signed. Considering the late hour at which objections to the sewer were raised, I cannot see how we can be blamed for the action taken."

Donahue & O'Boyle will begin work at once and expect to complete the job in two months.

PARDON FOR J. D. JONES.

He Was Convicted of Embezzling Funds While Tax Collector of Taylor Borough.

John D. Jones, formerly tax collector of Taylor borough, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling and was sentenced by the Court of Quarter Sessions of this county to pay a fine of \$2,500, and imprisonment in the county jail for one year and six calendar months, on February 15, 1902, was pardoned Thursday from the fine and from further imprisonment, by the pardon board of the commonwealth.

Ex-District Attorney Jones prepared the case and argued the same before Hon. J. S. Gohin, lieutenant governor; Hon. W. W. Griest, secretary of the commonwealth; Hon. John P. Elkin, attorney general, and Hon. James W. Latta, secretary of internal affairs, constituting the board of pardons, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the state capitol.

The prisoner has already served about nine months of his sentence.

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A turkey supper will be served by the ladies' auxiliary of the Madison avenue Temple, on Thanksgiving night, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

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LEWIS—In Wilkes-Barre, Nov. 16, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis, a daughter, formerly Miss Lillian Lewis, (formerly KLOTZ)—To Mr. and Mrs. John Klotz, of Cedar avenue, Nov. 18, 1902, a son.

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NIGHT SCHOOL TEACHERS

Their Qualifications Discussed by School Board Committee at Its Meeting Last Night.

The members of the teachers' committee of the board of control, at a meeting held last night, discussed at some length the qualifications for night school teachers.

The reports from the various controllers as to the schools already opened and the teachers appointed showed that a number of the latter did not possess the necessary qualifications agreed upon by the board a year ago. It was decided at that time that no woman should be accepted as a night school teacher who was not a graduate of the training school or of some normal college. Where a male applicant was required it was decided that a graduate of the High school could be employed.

Superintendent of Schools Phillips reported at last night's meeting that several of the teachers appointed do not possess these qualifications. Several of the members of the committee were inclined to the belief that the rule already adopted should not be strictly adhered to and that graduates of St. Thomas college and of St. Cecilia's academy should be eligible for appointment.

The members who were opposed to any such relaxation of the rules argued that this course would work an injustice to those graduates of the training school who have been unable to secure places as regular day school teachers and who should accordingly be given an opportunity to teach in the night schools.

The whole matter will be threshed out at Monday night's meeting of the board, when the appointments come up for confirmation.

IT'S UP TO HOLTON.

Corporal George Tamm Flatly Contradicts the Painters' Union Business Agent.

Corporal George Tamm, of Company F, Thirtieth regiment, in a statement given to The Tribune last night flatly contradicted the business agent of the Painters' union, No. 218, and asserts positively and without equivocation that he was not behind three months in his dues and that he was expelled from the union solely because of his connection with the national guard.

"In an article in today's Tribune," writes Corporal Tamm, "Business Agent Holton is quoted as saying that I was expelled from Painters' union 218 for non-payment of dues. I can prove by witnesses that I showed my dues book that I was not three months in arrears. I wish also to state that neither a committee nor the agent of the said union called on me in regard to my dues."

"Agent Holton did call on me, but made no reference to dues. He asked me which I intended leaving, the union or the guard. The true reason for my expulsion from Painters' union 218 was for being a member of the Thirtieth regiment. AS I was told by friends whom I have among the members of the union."

FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

Event Celebrated by Knights of the Mystic Chain.

The members of Scranton council, No. 137, Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain, celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of the council's organization, in Finley's hall last night, with an entertainment and dance. A large number attended and a delightful time was had.

Past Commander F. McArthur delivered an interesting address on the principles of the order, and songs were sung by the following: J. Frieze, W. R. Jones, Miss Etta Anderson, Miss Lily Williamson and Miss Rosa Williamson. George Davis and Mrs. G. Hillstone presided at the piano.

City and School Taxes 1902.

The above tax duplicates are now in my hands for collection.

F. S. BARKER, City Treasurer.

BIG BUSINESS AT POSTOFFICE

INCREASE OF \$31,249.95 IN THE TOTAL RECEIPTS.

Interesting Figures for Fiscal Year Ending on June 30 Last, Showing the Large and Substantial Growth of the Business—Since Postmaster Ripple Took Charge the Postal Receipts Have Been Doubled—Comparison with Business Done at Other Large Offices in the State.

The best evidence of the steady and substantial growth of Scranton as a business and industrial centre can be gleaned from the reports of the business done by the Scranton postoffice. Of the 76,215 postoffices in the United States, there are but forty-six which do a larger business than the Scranton office, and of the 219 first-class offices in this country, ours is forty-seventh.

In the state of Pennsylvania there are 5,059 postoffices in all, 344 of which are known as presidential offices, and of this number Scranton is third, with Philadelphia first and Pittsburgh second. In point of population Allegheny has 129,898 people, and Scranton has 102,926, according to the census reports of 1900, yet Scranton's percentage of postal business is much larger.

The appended figures show the relative amounts reported from nine cities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1902, putting Scranton in the lead, and incidentally shows the largest volume of business ever handled in the history of the Scranton postoffice. Here are the figures from the government reports:

Scranton	\$22,879.43
Allegheny	21,622.19
Harrisburg	13,346.21
Reading	11,571.94
Erie	9,485.78
Lancaster	5,504.60
Wilkes-Barre	8,183.89
Williamsport	7,392.24
Easton	5,999.72

This total of \$22,879.43 was the proceeds from the sale of stamps, stamped paper, box rents, etc., and is an increase over the previous fiscal year of \$31,249.95, or a percentage of 15 4-10 more than for the year ending June 30, 1901, which was \$20,529.48. Comparing the receipts of ten years ago with those of this year, there is an increase of 202 per cent., or a total increase of \$155,879. Since Colonel Ezra H. Ripple became postmaster on July 1, 1897, nearly five and a half years, the postal business of the Scranton office has been doubled, and the receipts for the month of October, 1902, were the largest ever recorded, reaching a total of \$23,298.43, which is an increase of \$813.59 over the next highest month, of April, 1902.

Comparing the receipts for the month of October, 1901, which were \$20,817.99, with those of last month, there is an increase of \$2,480.44. A part of this business, of course, is attributable to the branch and sub-stations, and for the year 1901, the volume of business handled in the West Scranton branch amounted to \$8,149.23, and for the six months of 1902, their figures show receipts of over \$5,000.

FUNERAL OF MRS. SNOVER.

Services Conducted by Rev. Joseph Odell at the Family Residence.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Snover was held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence on Adams avenue, and was attended by a large number of friends. The services were conducted by Rev. Joseph Odell and a beautiful cantata solo was sung by Miss Lida Garagan.

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